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Although Small Arms Factory Juniors were defeated by 5 goals to nil by Marrickville Avoca at Primrose Park on Saturday last in the second round of the Richardson Cup, they were by no means disgraced, as the Marrickville team were much heavier in weight.

The Small Arms boys speak well of the encouragement given them by the spectators, and the referee's decisions were satisfactory in every way.

However, Small Arms can devote their attention to the local competition now. Vale of Clwydd are in the lead by one point ahead of Small Arms. These teams have still to meet, and a close game is expected.

The last match in the first grade competition was played on Saturday, Thistle defeating Portland by four goals to one.

Entries from the following clubs have been received for the Langlands Cup (K.O. Competition), Thistle, Portland, Kandos, Oakey Park, Zig-Zag.

Arrangements are well ahead for visit of Lithgow School Boys to Granville on the 25th.

School trial matches were played on Saturday, and Mr. F. C. Smith has selected the team, with capable reserves.

Yours faithfully,

H APPLEBY.

### N.S.W. SIDE IN QUEENSLAND.

(By Left Half.)

The success of the N.S.W. side in Queensland has been very gratifying to Soccer followers in N.S.W., but the satisfaction is tinged with regret because of Queensland's inferior standard of play. Most of us imagined that Queensland's standard had improved, and was even on a level with New South Wales, but apparently we were mistaken. Reading through Queensland's press files we find that every man on the N.S.W. side did his part manfully, and nearly all the players created a good impression.

The forward line was particularly good, and Masters has evidently struck form, and will be the pivot for Australia if he retains his present form. Davey Ward has shown

he is as good as when he was selected for New Zealand, while Winter Vergil, Gilmore and McLauchlan have all distinguished themselves. Rees has not had the same luck, and did not reveal himself at his best in Bananaland. W. Johnson is scarcely mentioned in criticisms, so one cannot form any opinion regarding his qualifications. Spurway was splendid in a quiet way, while the N.S.W. captain, Creighton, was a shining star throughout. G. Storey starred at centre-half on the Wednesday, and did well at right-half on the Saturday. He is described as a hard man to pass, but his jumping is termed "dangerous." Crum is fast for a back, solid, and a good kick, while Muir and Oliver are admittedly good. Boyle, the goalkeeper, although not tested overmuch, evidently shaped nervously throughout. He was, so the Queensland critics aver, overshadowed by his vis-a-vis, Hamilton, who represents Australia to-day.

The tour shows clearly the evenness and high standard of our play, and prominent officials stated that if the N.S.W. side was selected and then each district selected a representative team, we would guarantee to select a team which would give any of the teams already selected a hard tussle for victory, and that they think there would not be two games between them at the finish. Anyway, welcome back, N.S.W. players and Manager W. Cunningham, and congratulations on a very fine record.

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### JOTTINGS.

A Queensland schoolboy team is visiting this State. Schoolboys of class are always worth watching. On the 1st September they will play N.S.W., probably as an early match to one of the big matches.

Applications have been received from all over the country, and the local associations are willing to find any guarantees that the Association sets down. Armidale, Tamworth, Goulburn, Lithgow, Harden, Cairns (Q.), Nambour, Toowoomba, The Mental Asylums, The Fire Brigade, and a host of others all want to play the Chinese. Then there is South Australia and Victoria, and, going further afield still, New Zealand. It is a pity that we are not in the

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At Hurlstone Park Bankstown will clash with Campsie Rechabites; to date the "Bites" have not tasted the fruits of victory, their nearest approach being five drawn games.

The "B" Grade Competition has come to a close. Bankstown "B" have been declared the winners, having had an eight point lead on the runners-up, Campsie Albions. The "Towns" did not suffer defeat once during the season. We congratulate the "Towns" on their success, and hope to hear more of their doings in the battle for the "Alert" Cup.

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| Ramsgate Meth.. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 |
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| Tempe Pk. Meth. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| H. Pk. Meth. ... | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1 |
| **B GRADE.** | | | | | | | |
| Bankstown .. | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 31 | 4 | 23 |
| Campsie Alb.. | 8 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 17 | 15 | 15 |
| Revesby Pk. . | 8 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 23 | 10 |
| **C GRADE.** | | | | | | | | |
| Canterbury J. | 10 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 6 | 19 |
| Bankstown .. | 10 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 12 | 16 |
| Campsie Ath.. | 11 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 11 | 14 |
| Campsie Reck. | 11 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 12 | 9 |

## THE GOALIE.

Lau Hing Cheung's foot was badly injured whilst playing against Metropolis last Wednesday. He was carried off the field and after first aid and medical attention, was sent to Langridge's Physical Culture rooms for special medical treatment. It is hoped that Mr. Langridge will have the popular goalie ready for the test match to-day.

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Athletic, will, no doubt, be a very fast and interesting game. Their previous games resulted in a one-all and scoreless draw. Should Athletics win, it will be necessary for a final between the Juniors and Bankstown to decide the "C" Grade Premiers.

At Hurlstone Park Bankstown will clash with Campsie Rechabites; to date the "Bites" have not tasted the fruits of victory, their nearest approach being five drawn games.

The "B" Grade Competition has come to a close. Bankstown "B" have been declared the winners, having had an eight point lead on the runners-up, Campsie Albions. The "Towns" did not suffer defeat once during the season. We congratulate the "Towns" on their success, and hope to hear more of their doings in the battle for the "Alert" Cup.

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**COMPETITION TABLE.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | Goals. A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carlton Meth. ... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 4 |
| Ramsgate Meth.. | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 |
| Kogarah Pres. .. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Tempe Pk. Meth. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| H. Pk. Meth. ... | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1 |
| **B GRADE.** | | | | | | | |
| Bankstown .. | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 31 | 4 | 23 |
| Campsie Alb.. | 8 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 17 | 15 | 15 |
| Revesby Pk. . | 8 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 23 | 10 |
| **C GRADE.** | | | | | | | | |
| Canterbury J. | 10 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 15 | 6 | 19 |
| Bankstown .. | 10 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 12 | 16 |
| Campsie Ath.. | 11 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 11 | 14 |
| Campsie Rech. | 11 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 12 | 12 | 9 |

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## THE GOALIE.

Lau Hing Cheung's foot was badly injured whilst playing against Metropolis last Wednesday. He was carried off the field and after first aid and medical attention, was sent to Langridge's Physical Culture rooms for special medical treatment. It is hoped that Mr. Langridge will have the popular goalie ready for the test match to-day.

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The N.S.W. Referees' Association has been successfully formed, and will probably welcome an effective unit in our organisation before the year is out. The constitution has yet to be approved by the N.S.W. Association and affiliation granted. The popular referee, Mr. G. Lakeman, is the secretary, and he will probably be the Association's representative on the N.S.W. Council.

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When the referee orders the suspension of play, the ball not having been played behind or in touch, the referee shall drop the ball where it was when play was suspended. The ball must touch the ground before it can be played.

The off-side rule is the one most frequently infringed and least understood. A player is on-side at all times when there are three or more opponents between him and the opponents' goal-line. A player cannot be off-side from a corner-kick, a throw-in, a goal-kick from either goal, a backward pass, or when the ball is last played by an opponent. It is important to realise that a player is adjudged on or off side according to his position when the ball was last played. Providing he is not attempting to play the ball, or is not in any way interfering with an opponent, a player can be in any position on the playing field and not be ruled off-side. It should be understood that a man is never off-side so long as he remains behind the ball, but that he may be off-side whenever he is in front of the ball, that is, nearer his opponents' goal-line than the ball. A player is always off-side when he is in front of the ball unless at the time when the ball was last played, by one of his own side, there were three opponents nearer their goal-line than he was (at such moment when the ball was last played). No player is off-side when the ball was last played by an opponent. When a player is once off-side he cannot be put on-side until the ball is again played by some other player. A player in an off-side position, besides being debarred from touching the ball, is forbidden to in any way interfere with or obstruct an opponent. A player cannot be off-side from a corner-kick or a throw-in from touch, and also in one or two other cases. A player cannot be off-side in his own half of the field of play. The award for off-side is a free kick.

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LINESMEN: MESSRS. ET and B. S. ALLEN.

**CHINA.**

GOALKEEPER:
**LAU HING CHEUNG**

FULL BACKS:
**1—NG KAM CHUEN** **2—CHAN SO**

HALVES:
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FORWARDS:
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RESERVES:
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ROYAL AGRICULTURAL GROUND AT 1.45 P.M.

## WALLSEND v WOONONA

REFEREE: MR. A. L. PEATY — LINESMEN: MESSRS. G. FOOKS and A. BATES

**WALLSEND.**
**(Red)**

GOALKEEPER:
**BOWER**

FULL BACKS:
**1—E. OWEN** **2—E. URWIN**

HALVES:
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FORWARDS:
**6—D. REEVE** **7—E. WALKER** **8—T. DAVIDSON** **9—S. WILLS** **10—W. GIBSON**

RESERVES:
**11—W. Craig** **13—W. Scott**

**WOONONA**
**(Red and Green.)**

GOALKEEPER:
**NEIL**

FULL BACKS:
**1—SINCLAIR** **2—MUIR**

HALVES:
**3—JARRETT** **4—CUNNINGHAM** **6—CHENEY**

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### ST. GEORGE DISTRICT.

To-day a great game will be staged at Primrose Park No. 1 at 3.15, Alex. Congs. A v. Austens F.C. In the first round a scoreless draw was recorded after a hard and gruelling match. Both teams are reputed to be at full strength, and Mr. Ref. Dove will be kept moving. If the South Sydney boys can repeat their first round performance, or even snatch a victory, then the premiership will be won. If, however, Austens F.C. come off victorious they will then have to meet Lakemba Congs. A in a deferred match, which match should be a victory for the Red and Whites. We would then have Alex. and Austens on the same mark. However, this is supposing that the Congs. go under to-day and that Dulie lose their appeal, both suppositions taking some swallowing. The early match at Primrose No. 1, though it will have no bearing on the competition, should be interesting. Last round the Blue and Whites won 3-0, but the team is rather depleted, and Lakemba A should have more than a sporting chance. Dulie A should beat St. Paul's to-day.

On Primrose No. 2 Ryde Meth. and St. John's, Bal clash. Last time the Ryde boys had a very easy victory, but things have altered since. If the Meths. get home they still have a sporting chance, for the Ultimo lads have yet to try conclusions with St. Bedes and St. Annes, both doughty opponents, who will shake them up. Ref. Anderson will handle the Ryde-St. John match to-day. The early fixture on No. 2 Primrose will also be of interest—just to show how St. Bartholomew's act under the eyes of Association officials.

Leichhardt Meths. sprang a surprise upon Drum. Bapt. the other week, 2-0. How will they fare at Ryde to-day against St. Annes? Bill Boardman reckons his team'll have a walk over, but the Leichhardt boys are dark horses, and will probably spring a surprise. Ult. A should have no difficulty in disposing of Drum. Bapt.

Alex. Mission and H.P. Congs. are neck and neck, though both have some stiff games to play. The Congs. should win to-day, but still St. Clemento-day at Ascot. On paper the Mission should win—on the field we shall see what we shall see. Mr. Scott will have charge of this match. M'kville Pres. should have a victory to-day.

St. Albans, Ult. B will gain another two points for their bye, and Newtown Congs. should have no difficulty in towelling St. Thomas. Croydon Congs. and Fivedock Meth. should be an interesting match at the Flat. By the way, another visit from Fivedock Treasurer would be appreciated. Ashfield might have Holy Trinity Ersk. thinking—and then again they might not.

Botany Meth should have no difficulty in maintaining their position to-day. They possess a fine set of forwards, who should penetrate Tempe's citadel more than once. Alex. Congs. B and Aidans B should be a close go at Wardell Rd at 1.45 to-day. Last time the Red and Greens had an easy victory. Aidans, however, play by fits and starts, and it's quite on the cards that they will give Alex. a start by defeating. However, there should not be more than one goal in the final scores.

Ramsgate Meth. should account for H. Pk. Meth. to-day, as they are a far heavier combination. Tempe Pk. and Kogarah should be a close game.

Last week Carlton Meth. were unlucky to lose to Penshurst. They played well, and half-time was 0-0. In the second spasm, however, two were put against them, and though they tried hard the forwards could not equalise.

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### K.O. COMPS.

All First Grade teams have entered with the exception of Aidans A. The draw will be available today. The second round will be drawn on Tuesday. In Second Grade Drum. Bapt., St. Clements, St. Bedes, Ryde Meth. and St. Albans, Ult., A have decided to try their prowess. Alex. Congs. B, St. Albans, Ult. B, Croydon Congs., Austens Jnrs, Newtown Congs., Botany Meth., Tempe Pk. Meth A, and Carlton Meth. will try conclusions in Third Grade. The draw for the first round of Second and Third Grade will be made on Tuesday. It will be played when the Premiership

### COMPETITION TABLE.

#### FIRST GRADE.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alex. Congs. A .. | 13 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 46 | 3 | 24 |
| xAusten's F.C. .. | 12 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 44 | 5 | 20 |
| xxDul. H. Bap. A | 11 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 16 |
| xLakemba Cng. A | 12 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 15 | 25 | 13 |
| St. Aidan's A ... | 13 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 26 | 24 | 10 |
| St. Paul's ..... | 13 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 16 | 48 | 8 |
| xxAll Saints' A .. | 11 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 15 | 63 | 6 |

x These Teams have one match to play.
xx These Teams have 2 matches to play.

#### SECOND GRADE.

"A" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Alban's Ult. A | 14 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 63 | 9 | 25 |
| Ryde Meth. .... | 14 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 45 | 9 | 24 |
| St. John's, Bal. . | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 44 | 23 | 21 |
| St. Anne's ..... | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 31 | 19 | 21 |
| St. Bede's ..... | 14 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 43 | 29 | 16 |
| Drum. Bapt. .... | 14 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 31 | 15 |
| All Souls' B .... | 14 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 10 | 26 | 6 |
| St. Alban's, Dar.. | 14 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 18 | 46 | 6 |
| Leichhardt Meth. | 14 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 17 | 59 | 4 |

"B" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H.P. Congs. .... | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 48 | 10 | 22 |
| Alex. Mission ... | 14 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 45 | 13 | 23 |
| Tempe Pk. Mth A | 14 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 31 | 6 | 22 |
| Lakemba Cngs. B | 14 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 15 | 18 |
| St. Clement's ... | 14 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 22 | 18 | 13 |
| Dul. Hill Bapt. . | 14 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 24 | 13 |
| Lakemba Meth. . | 14 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 33 | 9 |
| Leichhardt Pres.. | 14 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 20 | 46 | 7 |
| M'ville Pres. .... | 14 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 18 | 51 | 7 |
| Rozelle Waratah. | 14 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 42 | 5 |

#### THIRD GRADE.

"A" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Alban's Ult. B | 14 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 65 | 5 | 26 |
| Newtown Congs. . | 14 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 38 | 5 | 24 |
| Five Dock Meth.. | 14 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 27 | 22 | 20 |
| Croydon Congs. . | 14 | 9 | 5 | 0 | 40 | 22 | 18 |
| H. Trinity, Ersk. | 15 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 22 | 28 | 15 |
| St. Stephen's .... | 14 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 14 | 34 | 11 |
| St. Thomas' .... | 14 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 35 | 9 |
| Ashfield Bapt. .. | 14 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 9 | 46 | 9 |
| All Saints' B .... | 14 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 44 | 8 |

"B" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| xBotany Meth. .. | 13 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 47 | 4 | 23 |
| Alex. Congs. .... | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 35 | 14 | 21 |
| xSt. Aidan's B .. | 13 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 23 | 14 | 20 |
| xH. Trinity M.P. | 13 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 14 | 19 |
| xAusten's Jnrs. . | 13 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 21 | 17 | 17 |
| Dul. Hill Bapt. C | 14 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 17 | 25 | 12 |
| Tempe Pk. Mth B | 14 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 13 | 25 | 10 |
| St. Silas' ..... | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 33 | 8 |
| St. Bartholomews | 14 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 11 | 30 | 6 |
| St. John's, Glebe. | 14 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 6 | 66 | 2 |

x These Teams have still a match to play.

Draw for Saturday, 25th August, 1923:—

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"A" Division.

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## K.O. COMPS.

ll First Grade teams have en- d with the exception of Aidans The draw will be available to- The second round will be vn on Tuesday. In Second le Drum. Bapt., St. Clements, Bedes, Ryde Meth. and St. Al- , Ult., A have decided to try r prowess. Alex. Congs. B, St. ns, Ult. B, Croydon Congs., ens Jnrs, Newtown Congs., Bot- Meth., Tempe Pk. Meth A, and ton Meth. will try conclusions hird Grade. The draw for the round of Second and Third le will be made on Tuesday. It be played when the Premiership etitions finish. Teams who have red for the K.O. Comp. will be advised to consult the Regis- Mr. R. A. Byrdie, 30 Rawson nbers, City, as to whether their are all O.K.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alex. Congs. A .. | 13 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 46 | 3 | 24 |
| xAusten's F.C. .. | 13 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 44 | 5 | 20 |
| xxDul. H. Bap. A | 11 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 16 |
| xLakemba Cng. A | 12 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 15 | 25 | 13 |
| St. Aidan's A ... | 13 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 26 | 24 | 10 |
| St. Paul's ..... | 13 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 16 | 48 | 8 |
| xxAll Saints' A .. | 11 | 2 | 7 | 2 | 15 | 63 | 6 |

x These Teams have one match to play.
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### SECOND GRADE.
#### "A" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Alban's Ult. A | 14 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 63 | 9 | 25 |
| Ryde Meth. .... | 14 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 45 | 9 | 24 |
| St. John's, Bal. . | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 44 | 23 | 21 |
| St. Anne's ..... | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 31 | 19 | 21 |
| St. Bede's ..... | 14 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 43 | 29 | 16 |
| Drum. Bapt. .... | 14 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 31 | 15 |
| All Souls' B .... | 14 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 10 | 26 | 6 |
| St. Alban's, Dar.. | 14 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 18 | 46 | 6 |
| Leichhardt Meth. | 14 | 2 | 12 | 0 | 17 | 59 | 4 |

#### "B" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H.P. Congs. .... | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 48 | 10 | 23 |
| Alex. Mission ... | 14 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 45 | 13 | 23 |
| Tempe Pk. Mth A | 14 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 31 | 6 | 22 |
| Lakemba Cngs. B | 14 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 33 | 15 | 18 |
| St. Clement's ... | 14 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 22 | 18 | 13 |
| Dul. Hill Bapt. . | 14 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 24 | 13 |
| Lakemba Meth. . | 14 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 33 | 9 |
| Leichhardt Pres.. | 14 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 20 | 46 | 7 |
| M'ville Pres. .... | 14 | 3 | 10 | 1 | 18 | 51 | 7 |
| Rozelle Waratah. | 14 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 42 | 5 |

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#### "A" Division.

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Alban's Ult. B | 14 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 65 | 5 | 26 |
| Newtown Congs. . | 14 | 12 | 2 | 0 | 38 | 5 | 24 |
| Five Dock Meth.. | 14 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 27 | 22 | 20 |
| Croydon Congs. . | 14 | 9 | 5 | 0 | 40 | 23 | 18 |
| H. Trinity, Ersk. | 15 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 22 | 28 | 15 |
| St. Stephen's .... | 14 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 14 | 34 | 11 |
| St. Thomas' .... | 14 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 14 | 35 | 9 |
| Ashfield Bapt. .. | 14 | 4 | 9 | 1 | 9 | 46 | 9 |
| All Saints' B .... | 14 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 44 | 8 |

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| | P. | W. | L. | D. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| xBotany Meth. .. | 13 | 10 | 0 | 3 | 47 | 4 | 23 |
| Alex. Congs. .... | 14 | 9 | 2 | 3 | 35 | 14 | 21 |
| xSt. Aidan's B .. | 13 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 23 | 14 | 20 |
| xH. Trinity M.P. | 13 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 13 | 14 | 19 |
| xAusten's Jnrs. . | 13 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 21 | 17 | 17 |
| Dul. Hill Bapt. C | 14 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 17 | 25 | 12 |
| Tempe Pk. Mth B | 14 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 13 | 25 | 10 |
| St. Silas' ..... | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 6 | 33 | 8 |
| St. Bartholomews | 14 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 11 | 30 | 6 |
| St. John's, Glebe. | 14 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 6 | 66 | 2 |

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Referee: Mr. C. Lyst.

#### The Play Described.

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Queensland, 1; New South Wales, 0.

Give-and-take play followed, and Williams again gave to Edwards, who put over a splendid cross, which Crum just touched. Worrall, securing in the corner, put the ball into the net with a lovely shot.

Queensland, 2; New South Wales, 0.

Aided by the strong wind, Queensland again made headway, Pedley putting over. Another run by Edwards brought the leather down, Pedley getting hold and giving to T. Hainsworth, who drove at Boyle. The latter managed to clear, albeit rather weakly. A tricky run by Hainsworth again saw Boyle clear weakly. Crum relieved, and the visiting forwards swung down in line, but Winters failed to goal.

Play was fast and exciting, both ends being visited in quick succession. A fast rush by New South Wales, in which Gilmour, Masters and Ward were prominent, ended in the latter beating Hamilton with a beautiful screw shot, the latter just touching the ball in its flight into the net.

Half-time: Queensland, 2; New South Wales, 1.

Hainsworth restarted, but Creighton got his men moving, Gilmour putting in a stinging shot, which Hamilton saved well. The attack was kept up, Winters trying a shot which lacked direction. A long punt by Quinn was collared by Masters, who raced Harris, and put outside, with practically an open goal.

The Queensland defence was being heavily tested, attack following attack in quick succession. A nice pass from Spurway was snapped up by Masters, who gave to Gilmour, the latter putting in a lightning ground shot, which flashed into the corner of the net, Hamilton having no possible chance of saving, twelve minutes from the restart.

Queensland, 2; New South Wales, 2.

Aided by the strong breeze, the visitors continued to have the best of it, Gilmour testing Hamilton again, but the latter was in brilliant form, and repelled the onslaught. Masters secured again, and beat Fowler, and then beat Harris nicely, and scored with a great shot, putting New South Wales in the lead half an hour from the restart.

#### Visitors in the Lead.

New South Wales, 3; Queensland, 2.

On restarting Pedley gave to Edwards, the latter being nicely robbed by Oliver, who was playing a fine defensive game. The visitors once more took up the running, Masters driving hard at Hamilton, who saved magnificently, but M'Loughlin drove the rebound hard into the top of the net.

New South Wales, 4; Queensland, 2.

The superior condition of the visitors now began to make itself apparent, and they subjected the home defence to a torrid time, Williams being prominent in the defence. A rush by the Queensland vanguard saw Edwards finally receive

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THE CHINESE TEAM

# Abbreviated Laws of the Game.

**Eleven players form a team. For positions see team list.**

HANDLING THE BALL.—The goalkeepers only may play the ball with their hands, and they only within the penalty area. INTENTIONAL handling only is penalised by a free kick to the opposite side, opponents keeping back ten yards.

OFF-SIDE.—This is the hardest rule of all. A player cannot be off-side in his own half of the field of play, **nor when the ball is last played by an opponent, nor if he is behind the ball when it is last played.** He cannot be off-side when a corner kick or throw-in is taken, this protection ceasing when the ball is again played by one of his own side. With these general exceptions a PLAYER MUST HAVE AT LEAST THREE OF HIS OPPONENTS NEARER THEIR OWN GOAL LINE. To be penalised a player must be playing the ball or interfering with the play.

FREE KICK.—A free kick is awarded for handling the ball, tripping, kicking, jumping at, holding, pushing, or illegally charging an opponent, or dangerous play.

PENALTY KICK.—This award for the following infringements within the "penalty" area (18 yards mark): Tripping, kicking, striking, jumping at an opponent, handling the ball, holding, pushing, or illegally charging an opponent. All players except the player taking the kick and the opponents' goalkeeper must keep outside the penalty area. The kick is taken from a mark 12 yards from the goal line.

GENERAL.—Intentional infringements only are penalised, and generally speaking the "advantage" rule is followed.

Charging is permissible, but must not be violent or dangerous. Charging behind is illegal unless an opponent is obstructing, but it must under no circumstance be violent or dangerous.

GOAL.—A goal is scored when the ball has passed between the goal posts, under the bar, and completely over the goal line.

CORNER KICK.—If the ball is played behind by one of the defending side, an opponent shall kick it from within one yard of the corner flag.

THROW-IN.—The ball is out of play when it has passed completely over the touch line. The throw-in is taken by an opponent, who must stand with part of both feet on the line and throw the ball with both hands over his head.

DURATION OF GAME.—Except when otherwise arranged, the duration of a game shall be two spells of 45 minutes.

## KANDOS F.C. CLUB.

(To the Editor.)

Dear Sir,—I know that you will be pleased when you know how we the getting along. Here are the facts of our Club: on the second of facts of our Club: on the 2nd of July, 1923, a few of us old Soccer players decided to try and form a Soccer Club at Kandos, on account of the Rugby League going to the wind; at our first meeting we had a roll up of 25 citiens, and we dedided to form a Soccer Club, and at present I am very glad to say that our membership now totals over 50, and still going ahead.

So far we have had three matches; we played Lithgow Thistles here on Saturday the 27th July, and they beat us by two goals to nil; on the Sunday, the 28th, we played Portland and played a draw with them, and, on the 4th August, we played Parramatta United and defeated them by four goals to three, so it seems the further we go in the good old game, the better we get; I might say that my Club wishes to thank

out competition at Lithgow for the Langland Cup, and hope to bring it to Kandos; we also have a local knock-out competition of six men aside, for which six of our local citizens have generously donated gold medals.

We have taken a long lease of the football ground from the Kandos Cement Company, who, I am pleased to say, are backing us up in the sport. We would like to get some more Sydney teams to visit us if it were possible this year; the behaviour of the visiting teams, I must say, was excellent whilst they were with us.

I think, taking all things into consideration, we are on the road to have a rattling team here; I might say that fully 75 per cent. of our players have been Rugby players, and have not had a Soccer football in their hands before.

There is one request I would like you to grant if you could possibly manage it, and that is, to publish every week, "Abbreviated Laws of the Game," as it would give our players a chance to learn the Rules. Hoping that I am not going to take up too much space in your valuable

## INTERSTATE MATCH

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from Pedley, and put over, but the ball was soon back again, and Winters gave to Ward, who at close range drove at Hamilton, the latter missing the ball. Gilmour rushed in just as the ball bounced into the net.

Full time: New South Wales, 5; Queensland, 2.

### Visitors Entertained.

The Queensland Football Association entertained the New South Wales team in the evening at a dinner in the Wattle Cafe, Mr. H. Ashworth in the chair. After the loyal toast, Mr. Tom Watson, manager of the Queensland team, proposed the toast of "The Visitors," and complimented them on their splendid display of Soccer. Mr. Hildreth, the Q.F.A. treasurer, supported the toast.

Mr. Cunningham, the manager of the visiting team, briefly replied, thanking the Association for their hospitality during their visit, which amply bore out what he had been told of the famous Queensland hospitality. He hoped that the followers of Soccer in Queensland had appreciated the play of his team, which was the best ever sent out of New South Wales into Queensland.

Mr. Ashworth offered his congratula-



# Metropolitan Junior Associatio

Canterbury and Lilyfield A contested the early fixture at Primrose Park as a Richardson Cup game, the former team winning by 3-1. Lilyfield scored early in the game, and had the best of exchanges for a time. Canterbury forwards were combining well, and soon gave their opponents a lively time. Hush, in goals, gave an excellent display, and saved his side time after time. Porter, at back, was very unsafe. Canterbury noticed this, and worked that side to perfection. Eventually Sarchfield netted a great goal. The second half was rather tame, during which Lilyfield played with only 10 men. Canterbury assumed the upper hand, and ran out winners 3-1.

M'ville Avoca and Lithgow followed. The visitors were absolutely unable to hold Avoca, who simply overran them, and finished up victors by 5 to nil.

Dulwich Hill and Arncliffe met at St. George, and extra time was necessary, during which the Hill team netted the winning goal.

Pyrmont C team was successful against Banksmeadow in their replay at Algie Park, and are now sure to win their division.

The previous week Bondi Beach were beaten by 7 to 1 by a strong Annandale team, and this week played a draw (2 all) with a 2nd Annandale team. Mr. Haynes, what is wrong with your boys?

Lilyfield B defeated Lakemba, 3-0, at Crescent Oval. This came as a shock to Lakemba followers, as their team the previous week had defeated a strong Glebe United team. Lilyfield had the opportunities to score, and accepted them, while their opponents failed to finalise many fine openings made by their half-back line. For the winners Robinson,

**FIXTURES for 25/8/'23.**

**Charity Cup.**—Dulwich Hi
Lilyfield B, Crescent Oval,
Marrickville Avoca v. Cante
Juniors, Primrose No. 1, 3.15;
field A v. Annandale Altonas,
rose No. 1, 1.45; Glebe Unit
Glebe Arcadia, Canterbury, N
3.15; Marrickville Jnrs. v. St. P
Canterbury No. 2, 1.45. **A G**
**Division 1**, deferred. **A Grade,**
**sion 2.**—5th Field Ambulan
Y.M.C.A., Algie Park, 3.15
**Grade** completed, except re
**C Grade, Division 1.**—W
Avoca v. Warren Iona,
rose No. 2, 1.45; Lilyfiel
Warren Wndrs, forfeit. Nev
v. Manly, Crescent Oval, 1.45;
emba v. St Peters, Primrose
3.15; Wardell Road, bye. **C G**
**Division 2.**—Banksmeadow v.
Canterbury 3, 3.15; Pyrmont
nandale Rovers, Canterbury 3,

**COMPETITION TABLE up to 4/**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goa F. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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**2nd Division.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goa F. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pyrmont Refy. | 13 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 22 |
| Leigh & Co. .. | 14 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 21 |
| xY.M.C.A. ... | 12 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 24 |
| Nestanglo ... | 13 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 |
| xx5th F. Amb. | 11 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 6 |

**B GRADE.**
**Division I.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goa F. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Easton Park . | 13 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 31 |
| xLilyfield .... | 12 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 19 |
| xxGlebe Utd. . | 11 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 37 |
| Lakemba .... | 13 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 19 |
| xBal. Fern. .. | 12 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 20 |
| Glebe Arcadia. | 13 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 18 |
| Dulwich Hill . | 13 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 20 |
| Newtown .... | 13 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 4 |

**Division II.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goa F. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| xA'dale Alt. .. | 13 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 43 |
| Marrickville . | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 48 |
| Leichhardt .. | 14 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 35 |
| Bal. Glads. .. | 14 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 43 |
| Chester United | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 16 |
| Sunlight ..... | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 20 |
| xSt. Peter's .. | 13 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 14 |
| Y.M.C.A. ..... | 14 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 4 |

**C GRADE.**
**Division I.**

form a team. For penalties see

REE KICK.—A free kick is rded for handling the ball, ping, kicking, jumping at, hold- pushing, or illegally charg- an opponent, or dangerous play.

ENALTY KICK.—This award the following infringements in the "penalty" area (18 ls mark): Tripping, kicking, king, jumping at an opponent, dling the ball, holding, pushing, illegally charging an opponent. players except the player taking kick and the opponents' goal- per must keep outside the alty area. The kick is taken n a mark 12 yards from the goal

ENERAL.—Intentional infringe- ts only are penalised, and gener- speaking the "advantage" rule ollowed.

harging is permissible, but must be violent or dangerous. Charging behind is illegal unless an opponent is obstructing, but it must under no circumstance be violent or dangerous.

GOAL.—A goal is scored when the ball has passed between the goal posts, under the bar, and completely over the goal line.

CORNER KICK.—If the ball is played behind by one of the defending side, an opponent shall kick it from within one yard of the corner flag.

THROW-IN.—The ball is out of play when it has passed completely over the touch line. The throw-in is taken by an opponent, who must stand with part of both feet on the line and throw the ball with both hands over his head.

DURATION OF GAME.—Except when otherwise arranged, the duration of a game shall be two spells of 45 minutes.

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competition at Lithgow for the gland Cup, and hope to bring o Kandos; we also have a local ck-out competition of six men le, for which six of our local zens have generously donated l medals.

Ve have taken a long lease of football ground from the Kandos nent Company, who, I am pleased say, are backing us up in the rt. We would like to get some e Sydney teams to visit us if it e possible this year; the beha- ur of the visiting teams, I must , was excellent whilst they were h us.

think, taking all things into sideration, we are on the road to e a rattling team here; I might that fully 75 per cent. of our yers have been Rugby players, l have not had a Soccer football their hands before.

There is one request I would like to grant if you could possibly nage it, and that is, to publish ery week, "Abbreviated Laws of Game," as it would give our yers a chance to learn the Rules. ping that I am not going to take too much space in your valuable per, I will now conclude with best shes for the "Soccer News" and future advancement of the good Soccer game throughout Aus- lia.—Yours faithfully,

ERNEST R. FLOYD, Hon. Sec.

## INTERSTATE MATCH

(*Continued from page* 11.)

from Pedley, and put over, but the ball was soon back again, and Winters gave to Ward, who at close range drove at Hamilton, the latter missing the ball. Gilmour rushed in just as the ball bounced into the net.

Full time: New South Wales, 5; Queensland, 2.

### Visitors Entertained.

The Queensland Football Association entertained the New South Wales team in the evening at a dinner in the Wattle Cafe, Mr. H. Ashworth in the chair. After the loyal toast, Mr. Tom Watson, manager of the Queensland team, proposed the toast of "The Visitors," and complimented them on their splendid display of Soccer. Mr. Hildreth, the Q.F.A. treasurer, supported the toast.

Mr. Cunningham, the manager of the visiting team, briefly replied, thanking the Association for their hospitality during their visit, which amply bore out what he had been told of the famous Queensland hospitality. He hoped that the followers of Soccer in Queensland had appreciated the play of his team, which was the best ever sent out of New South Wales into Queensland.

Mr. Ashworth offered his congratulations to the visitors, and the proceedings terminated to allow the team to attend the Brisbane Gymnasium Ball, to which they had been invited by the committee.

The Brisbane Junior Soccer team played New South Wales on Monday at Weston, and were beaten by four goals to nil.

Park as a Richardson Cup game, the former team winning by 3-1. Lilyfield scored early in the game, and had the best of exchanges for a time. Canterbury forwards were combining well, and soon gave their opponents a lively time. Hush, in goals, gave an excellent display, and saved his side time after time. Porter, at back, was very unsafe. Canterbury noticed this, and worked that side to perfection. Eventually Sarchfield netted a great goal. The second half was rather tame, during which Lilyfield played with only 10 men. Canterbury assumed the upper hand, and ran out winners 3-1.

M'ville Avoca and Lithgow followed. The visitors were absolutely unable to hold Avoca, who simply overran them, and finished up victors by 5 to nil.

Dulwich Hill and Arncliffe met at St. George, and extra time was necessary, during which the Hill team netted the winning goal.

Pyrmont C team was successful against Banksmeadow in their replay at Algie Park, and are now sure to win their division.

The previous week Bondi Beach were beaten by 7 to 1 by a strong Annandale team, and this week played a draw (2 all) with a 2nd Annandale team. Mr. Haynes, what is wrong with your boys?

Lilyfield B defeated Lakemba, 3-0, at Crescent Oval. This came as a shock to Lakemba followers, as their team the previous week had defeated a strong Glebe United team. Lilyfield had the opportunities to score, and accepted them, while their opponents failed to finalise many fine openings made by their half-back line. For the winners Robinson, Wallace, Mitchell and Jenkins showed excellent form at back division, while McCarthy Bros were good in the forward line.

**Charity Cup.**—Dulwich Hill v. Lilyfield B, Crescent Oval, 3.15; Marrickville Avoca v. Canterbury Juniors, Primrose No. 1, 3.15; Lilyfield A v. Annandale Altonas, Primrose No. 1, 1.45; Glebe United v. Glebe Arcadia, Canterbury, No. 2, 3.15; Marrickville Jnrs. v. St. Peters, Canterbury No. 2, 1.45. **A Grade, Division 1,** deferred. **A Grade, Division 2.**—5th Field Ambulance v. Y.M.C.A., Algie Park, 3.15. **B Grade** completed, except replays. **C Grade, Division 1.**—Warren Avoca v. Warren Iona, Primrose No. 2, 1.45; Lilyfield v. Warren Wndrs, forfeit. Newtown v. Manly, Crescent Oval, 1.45; Lakemba v. St Peters, Primrose No. 2, 3.15; Wardell Road, bye. **C Grade, Division 2.**—Banksmeadow v. Bondi, Canterbury 3, 3.15; Pyrmont v. Annandale Rovers, Canterbury 3, 1.45.

**COMPETITION TABLE up to 4/8/'23.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| xMarrickville | 12 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 54 | 9 | 25 |
| xCanterbury J. | 12 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 51 | 10 | 22 |
| xDulwich H. | 12 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 10 | 22 |
| xLakemba | 12 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 27 | 16 | 17 |
| Lilyfield | 13 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 16 | 15 | 14 |
| xCenten. Jrs. | 12 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 36 | 11 |

**2nd Division.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Pyrmont Refy. | 13 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 22 | 24 | 15 |
| Leigh & Co. | 14 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 21 | 30 | 14 |
| xY.M.C.A. | 12 | 4 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 24 | 30 | 13 |
| Nestanglo | 13 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 48 | 9 |
| xx5th F. Amb. | 11 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 70 | 4 |

**B GRADE.**

**Division I.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Easton Park | 13 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 31 | 13 | 23 |
| xLilyfield | 12 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 19 | 14 | 20 |
| xxGlebe Utd. | 11 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 37 | 5 | 19 |
| Lakemba | 13 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 19 | 29 | 15 |
| xBal. Fern. | 12 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 20 | 16 | 14 |
| Glebe Arcadia | 13 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 18 | 26 | 13 |
| Dulwich Hill | 13 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 20 | 34 | 10 |
| Newtown | 13 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 32 | 2 |

**Division II.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| xA'dale Alt. | 13 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 43 | 3 | 23 |
| Marrickville | 14 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 48 | 8 | 23 |
| Leichhardt | 14 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 35 | 12 | 20 |
| Bal. Glads. | 14 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 43 | 21 | 19 |
| Chester United | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 16 | 47 | 8 |
| Sunlight | 14 | 3 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 46 | 8 |
| xSt. Peter's | 13 | 1 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 14 | 34 | 6 |
| Y.M.C.A. | 14 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 51 | 3 |

**C GRADE.**

**Division I.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Lilyfield | 13 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 47 | 5 | 27 |
| St. Peter's | 13 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 39 | 7 | 25 |
| Newtown | 14 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 37 | 11 | 22 |
| Warren Avoca | 13 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 24 | 18 | 19 |
| Warren Iona | 13 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 32 | 14 | 18 |
| Lakemba | 13 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 29 | 16 |

9th, to meet a local eleven, and met the first reverse of the tour, the score against them being 6-0. The second test was played last Saturday at Abermain, when the Maroons suffered another set back, the State Eleven defeating them by 4 goals to nil.

The team left for home on Sunday night and arrived safely at their destination on Monday. All the members are loud in their praise of the hospitality extended to them throughout the tour.

The results of the tour were as follows:—

Defeated Tenterfield ..... 5-1
Defeated N.S.W. ..... 2-1
Defeated Metropolis ..... 2-1
Lost to Newcastle ..... 6-0
Lost to N.S.W. ..... 4-0

Played: 5 lost, 2 won, 3 goals for 9 against, 13.

The B Grade 2nd Division was completed last Saturday, when Annandale Altonas met St. Peters in a re-play, and went under to them 1-nil. This comes as a surprise, as Annandale are at the top of the competition table and St. Peters second last. A protest has been lodged by the losing team. This has yet to come before the Management Committee, and if the protest is not yet upheld Annandale and Marrickville will have to meet to decide who are the winners of the 2nd Division, as both are level in points.

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## EASTERN SUBURBS.

The above Club desires to remind all Soccerites that the Benefit Social and Dance, in aid of Archie Manuel, who fractured his collar-bone, will take place on Wednesday next, the 22nd instant, at "Leigh House," 233 Castlereagh Street, Sydney. A good night's entertainment is assured all who can come along and assist in making the benefit a success.

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| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Warren Wdrs. | 13 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 28 | 8 |
| Manly | 14 | 2 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 56 | 8 |
| Wardell Road | 14 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 57 | 7 |

**Division II.**

| | P. | W. | L. | D. | B. | Goals. F. | A. | Pts. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| xxPyrmont | 13 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 48 | 9 | 23 |
| A'dale Rovers | 15 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 36 | 18 | 21 |
| xB'meadow | 14 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 33 | 11 | 21 |
| xBondi | 14 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 13 | 18 | 18 |
| Botany | 15 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 12 | 18 |
| A'dale Feds. | 15 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 19 | 19 | 17 |
| Leichhardt | 15 | 4 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 11 | 28 | 10 |
| Sunlight | 15 | x2 | 12 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 40 | 5 |

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### CHARITY CUP.

This competition will commence on 25th August, the main attraction being between those old rivals, M'ville Avoca and Canterbury. This should attract a big crowd, as they give a brilliant exposition of the Soccer game. The game is set down for Primrose Park, the early fixture being Dulwich Hill A and Lilyfield B. The latter team are confident of defeating the Hill team.

The Junior Competition tables are being published weekly. This has never been done before, and certainly reflects great credit on the


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